

Proclamation Presented to

To Paulette Maehara

WHEREAS, Paulette V. Maehara, CFRE, CAE, has been the President and CEO of the Association of Fundraising Professionals for the past 13 years, leading the organization into an unparallel area of growth and influence in the nonprofit sector; and

WHEREAS, Paulette V. Maehara, CFRE, CAE, has served the fundraising profession for more than 30 years, working tirelessly to increase philanthropy in Hawai'i, across our Nation and around the world; and

WHEREAS, Paulette V. Maehara, CFRE, CAE, a proud graduate from the University of Hawai'i, has a special connection to the State of Hawai'i having also spent time earlier in her career at both the Hawai'i Chapter of the March of Dimes Birth Defect Foundation and the University of Hawai'i Foundation: and

WHEREAS, Paulette V. Maehara, CFRE, CAE leadership of the Association of Fundraising Professionals has resulted in the organization making great strides in advancing the ethical and effective ideals of fundraising, and ensures that charities have the trust and confidence of the giving public;

THEREFORE I, NEIL ABERCROMBIE, Governor, and I, BRIAN SCHATZ, Lieutenant Governor of the State of Hawai'i, do hereby proclaim March 8, 2011

"PAULETTE MAEHARA DAY"

and commend her for her exceptional career and dedication to fundraising and philanthropy.

DONE at the State Capitol, in the Executive Chambers, Honolulu, State of Hawai'i, this twenty-third day of February 2011.

ABERCROMBIE

Governor, State of Hawai'i

Lt. Governor, State of Hawai'i

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